Sec. 2. No amount appropriated in the first section of this Act shall be paid or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with the claims dealt with therein. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be fined not more than \$1,000.

Approved December 12, 1973.

Private Law 93-43

December 12,1973 [H. R. 8406] AN ACT

For the relief of William M. Starrs.

William M. Starrs. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to William M. Starrs, of Savannah, Georgia, the sum of \$1,332.10 in full settlement of all his claims against the United States arising out of the special separate maintenance allowance leave which was erroneously granted to him in June 1969, while he was serving as a civilian employee of the Department of the Army.

Sec. 2. No part of the amount appropriated in the first section of this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with such claims, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved December 12, 1973.

Private Law 93-44

December 13, 1973 [H. R. 7210] AN ACT

For the relief of George Downer and Victor L. Jones.

George Downer and Victor L. Jones. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, on such terms as it deems just, the United States Postal Service is authorized to compromise, release, or discharge in whole or in part the joint and several liability of George Downer, postmaster, and Victor L. Jones, former assistant postmaster, at the Hampton, New Hampshire, Post Office, to the United States for the loss resulting from the burglary at the Hampton Post Office on December 16, 1967.

Approved December 13, 1973.

Private Law 93-45

December 15,1973 [H. R. 1694] AN ACT

For the relief of Ossie Emmons and others.

Ossie Emmons and others.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to each of the following

named persons the amounts set forth opposite their respective names in full settlement of their claims against the United States for losses and damages they suffered due to the flooding of their lands due to the release of waters of the Wappapello Reservoir on or about September 25, 1965, without warning or notice which would have enabled them to take steps to avoid or minimize losses from the flooding caused by that release:

Tenant	Landlord	Affected acres	Tenants share	Landlords share	Farm number
Ossie Emmons, Dudley, Mo	A. R. Pierce, Clarkton, Mo.	150	\$5, 125. 00	\$2,562.50	B-844
Robert Harrison, Fisk, Mo	Glen Harrison, Big Bend 1719, Poplar Bluff, Mo.	65	7-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1	10.00	
Gail Mansbridge, Fisk, Mo H. F. Mansbridge, Fisk, Mo		50 30	2,562.50		A-3381
Wiley Mattingly, Route 1, Dudley, Mo.	Eva Mattingly, Route 1, Dudley, Mo.	110	3, 757. 34	1, 879. 16	B-1761
Rhea Stone, Route 1, Dud- ley, Mo.	2-40,7,	200	10, 250. 00	*********	B-1557
Ray Henson, Route 1, Dud- ley, Mo.	Albert Price, Route 1, Dudley, Mo.	100	3, 416. 67	1, 708. 33	B-1654
Leon Wilkerson, Fisk, Mo	Bernard Cravens, 818 North Sassafras, Dex- ter, Mo.	150	5, 125. 50	2, 562, 50	D-2073
Robert Harrison, Fisk, Mo		135	4, 612. 50	2, 306. 25	B-647
Robert Huber, Route 1, Campbell, Mo.		20 (corn)	1, 350. 00		H-1746

SEC. 2. No part of each amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved December 15, 1973.

Private Law 93-46

AN ACT

For the relief of John B. Clayton.

December 15,1973 [H. R. 5379]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) John B. Clayton, an employee of the Department of the Army, Fort Richardson, Alaska, is hereby relieved of liability to the United States in the sum of \$1,066.09 representing the amount expended by the Government for travel and transportation expenses of his dependents incident to home leave travel. In the audit and settlement of the accounts of any certifying or disbursing officer of the United States, credit shall be given for the amount for which liability is relieved by this Act.

(b) The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to John B. Clayton, an amount equal to the aggregate of any amounts paid by him or withheld from sums otherwise due him by reason of the liability referred to in this Act. No part of the amount appropriated in this section shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000.

Approved December 15, 1973.

John B. Clayton.